

REGION III ICC
Minutes for August 6, 2007

Present:

Denise Brandvold, RDDPA
Marcia Schneider, Exp. Parent
Wendy Olson, DD
Nancy Brustad, LR KIDs Coordinator
Keith Gustafson, LRSEU Fiscal Agent
Cheryl Wold, East Central SEU Director
Judy Freund, Parent
Christie Jaeger, Parent
Erin Bommersbach, Right Track/LR KIDs
Connie Booth, DDCM
Rose Grimson, LR KIDs
Connie Hovendick, LRSE Director

AGENDA REPORT:

1. Introductions were done. Trainings and Conferences:

Family Connections Conference: The conference held June 14, 15, & 16, 2007 had positive comments. Many families attended. Marci has information/notes from the conference that she will send via email to members of the Regional ICC.

On September 14, 2007 there will be a training "Brain Based Research" at MSU.

October 2(preconference) and October 3-5, 2007 will be the DDCM/ID training in Bismarck at the Doublewood.

Keith stated there will be training on the Positive Behavioral Supports (mental health issues) rescheduled for fall. Dates/times TBA at a later date.

Keith stated that Deanne Borgerson is scheduled to complete training on September 21, 2007 on the Bailey 3 assessment.

Northern Plains KIDs has scheduled September 27, 2007 for training with Kelly Trevecka (OT) on Neuro Development Treatment. This will be both theory and techniques.

2. Right Track Program/LR KIDs update:

Erin Bommersbach provided the statistics for the Right Track program. Screenings are going well. 8 of the 63 children currently enrolled were Right Track referrals. Eddy and Towner county referrals are down.

Nancy Brustad stated as of today there are 63 children enrolled in the program. Staff have caught up with the evaluations and only one is currently pending.

3. Experienced Parent Program:

Marcia reported on EP program activities. July 31, 2007, DPI will be providing training for Part B. She needs names of families that would be willing to "tell their story". She will sent out notices to parents that may be interested.

4. Quality Improvement Plan & the Regional Compliance Work Plan:

The Regional ICC members reviewed the draft of the QIP for Region III and made suggestions and additions to the plan.

5. Agency Reports:

LRSE/ECSE – new guidelines for the IEP process and the IFSP transition process is being implemented.

Other Agency Items discussed:

Tentative dates for 2008 are: Feb 4, May 5, Aug 4, and Nov 3 (1st Mondays)

Websites for Resources regarding maltreatment was distributed.

The meeting was adjourned.

The next meeting is November 5, 2007 at 10:00 at the Lake Region Human Service Center East/West Conference Room.

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